BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 93-265-C - ORDER NO. 94-727

JULY 21, 1994

IN RE: Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph) ORDER
Company - Annual Review of Operations) CLOSING
under Incentive Regulation.) DOCKET

This matter is before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for the purpose of closing this docket. In South Carolina Cable Television Association v. The Public Service Commission of South Carolina, et. al., __S.C.__, 417 S.E.2d 586 (1993), the South Carolina Supreme Court reversed the Order of the Commission which established a generic incentive regulation scheme. The Supreme Court found that the Commission lacked the statutory authority to adopt the incentive regulation method it had approved.

The current docket was established by Southern Bell Telephone & Telegraph Company's (Southern Bell's) filing of its annual information as required by the Order which approved Southern Bell's incentive regulation plan. Since the Supreme Court has reversed the Commission's generic order approving incentive regulation, the Commission concludes that the utility-specific plans which were based on the generic plan are moot.

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Consequently, the Commission finds and concludes that this docket should be and is hereby closed.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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